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Award-Winning Documentary About World War II Love Story to be Shown at Central Library on Sept. 17

**SAN DIEGO** – The City of San Diego Public Library will show the documentary film "Through Hell and High Water" on Saturday, Sept. 17 at 2:30 p.m. The free screening will take place in the third floor auditorium of the Central Library, located at 820 E St. in downtown San Diego.

"Through Hell and High Water" tells of the true love story between Nancy and Archie Kelly. At the end of World War II, one of the most daring rescues was carried out by the British Navy. At the time, Nancy Kelly was fleeing from Nazi occupation in the north of Norway. She was rescued by the British Navy and it was during that mission that she met her Scottish love, Archie, on the gale blown high seas of the Atlantic Ocean. Their love story highlights undeniable courage in the face of adversity and shows the determination of the human spirit to fight for freedom at all costs.

The film received a Silver World Medal at the New York Festivals' 48<sup>th</sup> annual Film and Video Competition in the documentary category in January 2005. It also won the Silver Screen Medal at the U.S. International Film and Video Festival in Los Angeles in June 2005.

The film is presented by the Art, Music & Recreation section of the Central Library. For more information, call the Central Library at 619-236-5800 or visit the Library on the City's Web site at http://www.sandiego.gov/public-library.

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